DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY Vacancy Announcement Number: NEAl05630003D

Opening Date: July 12, 2005 Closing Date: July 26, 2005

Position: Equipment Specialist (Electronics), GS-1670-9/11 FPL: 11

Salary: \$41,772 - \$65,704 Annual

Place of Work: Tobyhanna Army Depot (TYAD), Dir/Command Control & Computer Systems, Forward

Repair Activity (FRA), Tobyhanna, PA 18466 *Duty Station: Fort Bragg, NC

Position Status: This is a Permanent position. -- Full Time

Number of Vacancy: 3

Link to job announcement at http://acpol.army.mil/employment for more information.

Duties: This position offers career progression to the full performance grade (FPL) level of GS-11. Work assignments provide advanced training & development leading to the FPL of Equip Spec (Elect), GS-1670-11. You will perform the following duties, but under closer scrutiny and less complexity and lesser knowledge. At the GS-11 level, you will serve as an Equip Spec (Elect) for the AN/TSQ-179 Common Ground Station (CGS), which is assigned to TYAD. Work is performed at the Permanent Change of Station (PCS) sites in the Continental United States (CONUS), embedded, or at FRA, CONUS or Outside the Continental United States (OCONUS) locations. Exercise continuing responsibility for a comprehensive range of field use support activities for components of the system and subsystems of CGS. Provide maintenance, advice, assistance, on-the-job training, instruction, and logistical and supply support to AN/TSQ-179 platforms under test and fielded to units as directed by program managers of the CGS.

About the Position: The Forward Repair Activity (FRA) Fort Bragg facility provides forward repair and technical support for Standard Army Management Information System (STAMIS) computers and related peripherals, Automated Data Processing Equipment (ADPE), and Tactical Operation Center (TOC). This FRA is part of Tobyhanna Army Depot (TYAD). The TYAD mission includes design, manufacture, repair and overhaul of hundreds of electronic systems for all branches of the Armed Forces. For over 50 years, Tobyhanna personnel have built a tradition of unparalleled customer satisfaction through the delivery of timely, cost-effective, and high-quality products and services. The FRA is located northwest of Fayetteville, North Carolina, and is the home of the US Army XVIII Airborne Corps.

Who May Apply: (Click on Who May Apply)

THIS IS A DELEGATED EXAMINING ANNOUNCEMENT OPEN TO ALL U.S. CITIZENS.

Interagency Career Transition Assistance Plan (ICTAP) eligibles.

Qualifications: Click on link below to view qualification standard. General Schedule

QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS: Please click on the General Schedule button and review the requirements for this GS-1670, Equipment Specialist (Electronics) position. SPECIALIZED EXPERIENCE: Qualified candidates for this job must show in their résumé that they possess one year of specialized experience that provided knowledge of the characteristics, properties, parts, materials, manufacturing and repair processes for communications-electronics equipment (to include their integration and alignment). The year of specialized experience must be equivalent to the GS-07 grade level in Federal service, if applying at the GS-09 level. If applying at the GS-11 level, this year of specialized experience must be equivalent to the GS-09 grade level in Federal service. VETERANS PREFERENCE: For preference to be granted your résumé/supplemental information must clearly show your entitlement to preference.

This is done by listing campaign badges, medals earned, dates of military service for which preference is authorized, etc. Veterans claiming 10-point preference must indicate date of VA letter certifying compensation for a service-connected disability or disability retirement pay, or other appropriate information that substantiates the claim of veterans preference. If selected, you must submit documentation that verifies Veterans Preference that was claimed on your résumé.

GS-09: One year of experience directly related to the occupation equivalent to at least the next lower grade level; or Master's or equivalent graduate degree or 2 full years of progressively higher level graduate education leading to such a degree or LL.B. or J.D., if related; or equivalent combinations of experience and education.

GS-11: One year of experience directly related to the occupation equivalent to at least the next lower grade level; or Ph.D. or equivalent doctoral degree or 3 full years of progressively higher level graduate education leading to such a degree or LL.M., if related; or equivalent combinations of experience and education.

The experience described in your resume will be evaluated and screened for the Office of Personnel Management's basic qualifications requirements, and the skills needed to perform the duties of this position as described in this vacancy announcement.

Foreign education must be evaluated for U.S. equivalency in order to be considered for this position. Please include this information in your resume.

Education can be substituted for experience. Review the qualification requirements for specific information.

Only degrees from an accredited college or university recognized by the Department of Education are acceptable to meet positive education requirements or to substitute education for experience. For additional information, please go to the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) and U.S. Department of Education websites at - http://www.opm.gov/qualifications and http://www.ed.gov/admins/finaid/accred/index.html

Other Information: (Click on Other Information)

Management may select at any of the grade levels announced.

May require shift work and/or work on rotating shifts to provide coverage on evenings, weekends, holidays and in other situations.

The Department of Defense (DoD) policy on employment of annuitants issued March 18, 2004 will be used in determining eligibility of annuitants. The DoD policy is available on http://www.cpms.osd.mil/fas/staffing/pdf/rem ann.pdf

Noncompetitive promotion potential to target grade.

Multiple positions will be filled from this announcement.

May require overtime work.

Permanent Change of Station (PCS) expenses will be authorized.

Temporary Duty (TDY) travel is 60 percent.

Other Advantages: This job provides an excellent opportunity to make a positive contribution to the U.S. Army vision.

Other Requirements: (Click on Other Requirements)

Must be able to obtain and maintain a Secret security clearance.

Position is designated as Emergency Essential.

A medical examination is required.

You will be required to provide proof of U.S. Citizenship.

If selected, official college or university transcript must be submitted.

License/Certification: Possess and maintain a State Drivers License

You may claim Military Spouse Preference.

Failure to provide all of the required information as stated in the vacancy announcement may result in an ineligible rating or may affect the overall rating.

One year trial/probationary period may be required.

Male applicants born after December 31, 1959 must complete a Pre-Employment Certification Statement for Selective Service Registration.

Direct Deposit of Pay is Required.

Must sign a mobility agreement if selected.

Position requires employee to wear a uniform and/or protective clothing.

How to Apply: (Click on How to Apply)

Resumes must be received by the closing date of this announcement.

Self-nomination must be submitted by the closing date.

Resume must be on file in our centralized database.

Announcements close at 12:00am (midnight) Eastern Time.

Click here to use the <u>Army Resume Builder</u> to create your resume. Follow the instructions in this vacancy announcement to apply for the job.

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